

1 **IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

2
3 Application No. 09/525,206
Filing Date 03/14/2000
4 Inventorship Peinado et al.
Confirmation No. 7714
5 Applicant Microsoft Corp.
Group Art Unit 3621
6 Examiner Backer, Firmin
Attorney's Docket No. MS1-0394US
7

8 **Title: BORE-Resistant Software Configuration**
9 **and Distribution Methods And Arrangements**

10

11 **REQUEST TO PROPERLY INDICATE CONSIDERATION**

12 **OF A PREVIOUSLY CONSIDERED IDS**

13 **Under 37 CFR 1.312**

14 **After Notice of Allowance Mailed 09/05/2006**

15

16 To: MS: Issue Fee
17 Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
18 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

19

20 From: Keith W. Saunders Tel. 509-324-9256 ext. 238
 Fax 509-323-8979
21 Customer # 22801

22

23 Please fully initial and re-sign the attached List of Art Cited by Applicant.

1

2 Remarks

3

4 An IDS was submitted on/around 11/08/2001. It was returned from the
5 Office in an Office Action dated 06/07/2002.

6

7 However, two of the listed art were not properly indicated to have been
8 considered. More specifically, two items were not initialed. (Two other items
9 were initialed and the sheet was signed on 5/31/2002 by Examiner Firmin Backer.)
10 This IDS sheet is attached hereto.

11

12 The two non-initialed items are:

13 ● WO 98/45768 15/10/98 PCT

14 ● Frederick B. Cohen, "Operating system protection through program
15 evolution*", *Computers & Security*, Vol. 12, No. 6, Elsevier Science Publishers
16 Ltd., October 1993, pp. 565-584.

17

18 Hence, it is respectfully requested that the consideration of these two items
19 be properly indicated by initialing each item on the attached IDS sheet and by re-
20 signing it.

21

22

23

24

25

1
2 **Conclusion**
3

4 Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned representative of the
5 Applicants if you deem it helpful to facilitate this request. Thank you.
6
7

8 Respectfully Submitted,
9

10 Dated: 12/5/2006

11 By: Keith W. Saunders
12 Keith W. Saunders
13 Lee & Hayes, PLLC
14 Reg. No. 41,462
15 (509) 324-9256 x 238
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25

Form PTO-1449			U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY. DOCKET NO. 3453-394US	SERIAL NO. 09/525,236	
LIST OF ART CITED BY APPLICANT (See several sheets if necessary)			APPLICANT Microsoft Corporation				
			FILING DATE 3/16/2000		GROUP		
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials		Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date if appropriate
<i>F</i>	A	5,559,184	9/24/95	Davidson et al.	390	4	
	B	5,582,699	4/9/99	Auerbach et al.	395	186	
	C						
	D						
	E						
	F						
	G						
	H						
	I						
	J						
	K						
RECEIVED DEC 13 2001 Technology Center 2100							
FOREGIN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
	Document Number	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Translation	
						Via	No
	WO99/43768	1/31/98	PCT				
OTHER PRIOR ART (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)							
	E		Frederick R. Coker, "Operating system protection through program evolution", Computers & Security, Vol. 12, No. 4, Elsevier Science Publishers Ltd., October 1993, pp. 585-584.				
	F						
	G						
	H						
	I						
	J						
EXAMINER <i>Funmi Jaiye</i>			DATE CONSIDERED <i>5/31/02</i>				
*EXAMINER'S initial if reference considered whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 600. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.							